

PATENT APPLICATION

File No: 97-11C2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Paul O. Sheppard, Laura J. Jelinek

Serial No.

10/082,502

Group Art Unit

1642

Examiner

Nickol, G.B.

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October 19, 2001

For

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Date Submitted

: November 14, 2003

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-mentioned application. The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Present Extra	Extra Rate	Fee
Total	9	- 20	0	\$9.00	\$000.00
Independent	2	- 9	0	\$43.00	\$000.00
1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				\$145.00	\$000.00
				Total	\$000.00

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge any required fee to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed. Respectfully submitted,

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November 14, 2003 Seattle, Washington

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sirs:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed May 14, 2003, and is due on or before November 14, 2003 with the appropriate extension. Accordingly, Applicants enclose herewith the appropriate response, a Petition for a three (3) month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R §1.136(a) and the required fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(c). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee due with this submission, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 26-0290; Reference No. 97-11C2.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.